



General Assembly

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LCO No. 1154

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Referred to Committee on Planning and Development

Introduced by:
(PD)

AN ACT CONCERNING LOCAL APPEALS OF DECISIONS OF LOCAL TRAFFIC AUTHORITIES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Section 14-313 of the general statutes is repealed and the
2 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2010*):

3 Any person aggrieved by any order or regulation made by any
4 traffic authority under the provisions of this chapter, relating to the
5 establishment of through streets, the making of safety zones, the
6 installation of traffic control signals, devices, signs or markings, the
7 establishment of parking restrictions or the location of loading and
8 unloading zones, or by the performance of any act pursuant to any
9 provision of this chapter, may take an appeal therefrom to the court of
10 common council or to the board of aldermen of the city, to the town
11 council or board of selectmen of the town, or to the warden and
12 burgesses of the borough, wherein such traffic authority is located, or
13 to the superior court for the judicial district in which it is located. Such
14 appeal shall be to the next session of such court or board which will
15 allow sufficient time for the service of the notice required herein. A
16 written notice of such appeal, addressed to such traffic authority, shall

17 be deposited with, or forwarded by registered or certified mail to, such
18 traffic authority at least ten days before the return day thereof. Upon
19 such hearing, such court or board shall determine whether the order or
20 regulation appealed from is reasonable, and shall thereupon sustain or
21 revoke such order or regulation.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
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Section 1	<i>October 1, 2010</i>	14-313
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Statement of Purpose:

To clarify the local appeals process for orders and regulations of traffic authorities.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]